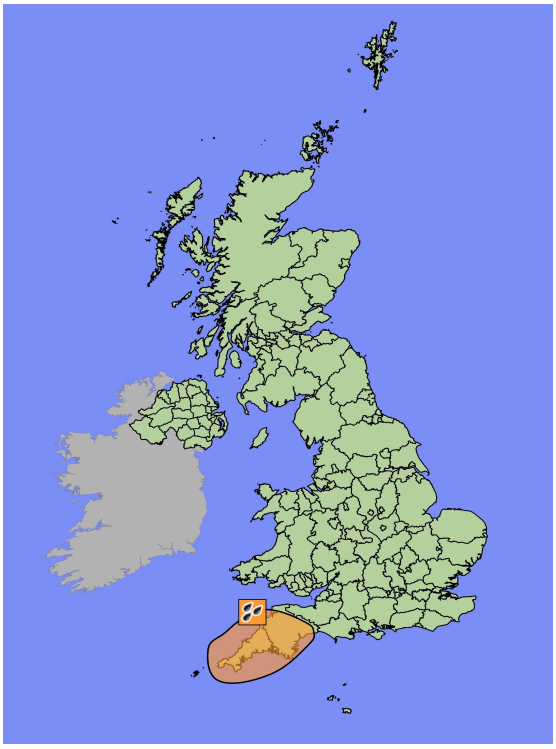
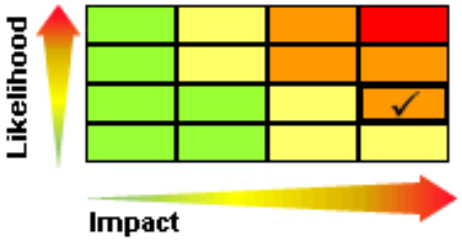
# National Severe Weather Warning Service






**Chief Forecasters Assessment**
Another active frontal system is expected to affect England and Wales on Christmas Eve. While details of the rainfall are uncertain, an additional 20-30mm and locally 50mm or more is possible

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Alert** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Mon, 24th Dec 2012** until **18:00 on Mon, 24th Dec 2012**

Further heavy and prolonged rainfall on Christmas Eve is expected to affect parts of southern and southwest England in particular. This additional rainfall following the current wet weather, means the public should be prepared for an increased risk of both surface water and river flooding along with disruption to travel.

**For more details please go to:**
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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